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II. Copies of Listed References

Copies of all references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 are being supplied.

III. Concise Statement of Relevance

All references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 were cited in the International Search Report in corresponding PCT Application No. PCT/EP03/02960. German language Reference DE 43 28 502A has an English language translation of its abstract attached to patent cover for purposes of determining relevancy.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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		European Search Report for PCT/EP03/02960 dated July 4, 2003.
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